

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	pplicat	ion of:)		
		Hirano et al.)	Examiner:	Klimowicz, William J
Serial No.:		10/643,265)	Art Unit:	2627
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For:	AIRFLOW SHROUD FOR HDD TRACKING MICROACTUATOR)))		· .

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING THE PRESENT REQUEST FOR CONTINUING EXAMINATION (RCE)

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on May 1, 2007, in conjunction with the RCE filed herewith, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks for allowance of the above-identified patent application.

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